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For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR DETECTING
PRECURSORS TO COMPRESSOR STALL
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) Group Art Unit: 2863)
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RESPONSE

Sir:

This is a response to the Office Action dated November 21, 2003. Accompanying the response is a copy of the assignment as well as a petition for an extension of time of one month. Applicants respectfully request a withdrawal of the rejections and an allowance of the claims in view of the following remarks.